

Milan, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

Selectmen: Monday, 8 am - 3 pm, 7 pm - 8 pm, Tuesday through Thursday, 8 am - 3 pm; Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, 9 am - 12 noon, 1 pm - 4 pm, 6 pm - 8 pm, Tuesday through Thursday, 9 am - 12 noon, 1 pm - 4:30 pm

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
Planning Commission
Regional Development

Coös
Berlin, NH Micropolitan NECTA
Great North Woods
North Country Council
Coös Economic Development Corp.

Election Districts

US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

District 2
District 1
District 1
Coös County Districts 2, 7

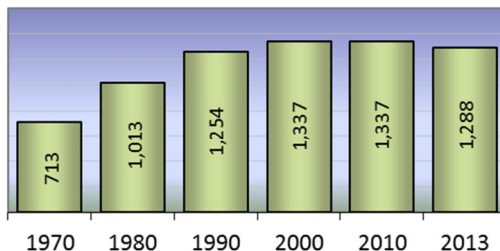
Incorporated: 1824

Origin: This territory was first granted as Paulsbrough in 1771, named for a cousin of Governor John Wentworth, Paul Wentworth. Among the early settlers were relatives and descendants of the Harris and Twitchell families, who had established one of the first woolen mills in America at Harrisville. In 1824, Governor Levi Woodbury, a close friend of Milan Harris who was interested in expanding wool culture and manufacturing in New Hampshire, authorized naming the town in his honor. In the mid-1800s, a large vein of gold was discovered in the hills, which was mined for several years.

Villages and Place Names: Copperville, West Milan

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 14 residents in 1810

Population Trends: Population change for Milan totaled 627 over 53 years, from 661 in 1960 to 1,288 in 2013.



The largest decennial percent change was a 42 percent increase between 1970 and 1980, accounting for nearly half of the numeric population change. The 2013 Census estimate for Milan was 1,288 residents, which ranked 172nd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2013 (US Census Bureau): 20.1 persons per square mile of land area. Milan contains 63.9 square miles of land area and 0.5 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES			
Type of Government		Selectmen	
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2014		\$907,745	
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Zoning Ordinance		1973/12	
Master Plan		2001	
Capital Improvement Plan		Yes	
Industrial Plans Reviewed By		Planning Board	
Boards and Commissions			
Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Zoning; Trust Funds; Library; Cemetery		
Appointed:	Conservation; Emergency Management		
Public Library	Milan Public		
EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		Contracted out	
Fire Department		Volunteer	
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)		Distance	Staffed Beds
Androscoggin Valley, Berlin		7 miles	25
UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier		None	
Water Supplier		Private wells	
Sanitation		Private septic	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal			
Curbside Trash Pickup		Contracted	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Voluntary	
Telephone Company		Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access		Limited	
Cable Television Access		Yes	
Public Access Television Station		Yes	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes	
	Residential	Yes	
PROPERTY TAXES		(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2013 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$20.78	
2013 Equalization Ratio		103.3	
2013 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)		\$22.56	
2013 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings		79.3%	
Commercial Land and Buildings		4.5%	
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other		16.1%	
HOUSING		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Total Housing Units		819	
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached		671	
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure		15	
Five or More Units in Structure		0	
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units		133	

DEMOGRAPHICS		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population		Community	County
2013	1,288		32,141
2010	1,337		33,055
2000	1,337		33,156
1990	1,254		34,879
1980	1,013		35,014
1970	713		34,189
Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2009-2013			
Population by Gender			
Male	648	Female	640
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			46
Age 5 to 19			184
Age 20 to 34			182
Age 35 to 54			406
Age 55 to 64			262
Age 65 and over			208
Median Age			50.3 years
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over			
High school graduate or higher			87.0%
Bachelor's degree or higher			22.3%
INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2009-2013)	
Per capita income			\$30,273
Median family income			\$66,827
Median household income			\$56,591
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male			\$50,938
Female			\$38,750
Individuals below the poverty level			8.2%
LABOR FORCE		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average	2003		2013
Civilian labor force	776		734
Employed	733		691
Unemployed	43		43
Unemployment rate	5.5%		5.9%
EMPLOYMENT & WAGES		(NHES – ELMI)	
Annual Average Covered Employment	2003		2013
Goods Producing Industries			
Average Employment	87		117
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 555		\$ 774
Service Providing Industries			
Average Employment	87		69
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 421		\$ 463
Total Private Industry			
Average Employment	175		186
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 488		\$ 658
Government (Federal, State, and Local)			
Average Employment	71		52
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 282		\$ 483
Total, Private Industry plus Government			
Average Employment	246		238
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 429		\$ 619

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Milan operates grades K-6; grades 7-12 are tuitioned to Berlin				District: SAU 20
Career Technology Center(s):	Berlin Regional Career & Technical Center				Region: 2
Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial	
Number of Schools	1				
Grade Levels	P K 1-6				
Total Enrollment	112				

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Granite State College-Berlin**

2014 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: **0** Total Capacity: **0**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Milan Lumber	Saw mill lumber	48	
Kel-log, Kelly Trucking	Logging, trucking, forestry	28	
North Woods Rafting	Rafting & kayaking services	14	
Milan Variety	Convenience store, restaurant	10	
Milan Excavating, Milan Container	Garbage hauling, excavating	7	

TRANSPORTATION (*distances estimated from city/town hall*)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	16, 110, 110A, 110B
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-93, Exits 35 - 36
Distance		47 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Berlin Municipal	Runway	5,200 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Portland (ME) International	Distance	107 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		13
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		149 miles
Portland, Maine		106 miles
Boston, Mass.		178 miles
New York City, NY		381 miles
Montreal, Quebec		175 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2009-2013*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	85.7%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	7.3%
Public transportation	0.3%
Walked	1.6%
Other means	0.2%
Worked at home	4.8%
Mean Travel Time to Work	34.3 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2009-2013

Working in community of residence	16.3
Commuting to another NH community	81.9
Commuting out-of-state	1.8

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): **Wildcat, Wilderness**Other: **Milan Hill State Park; Kayaking; Canoeing; Ice Skating Rink: Outdoor Facility**